

From: [Green, Jamie](#)
To: [Ridnour, Lacey](#)
Subject: Fwd: Aerial Spray Incident Involving Field Workers
Date: Tuesday, August 15, 2017 12:40:04 PM

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From: "Wormell, Lance" <Wormell.Lance@epa.gov>
Date: August 15, 2017 at 10:19:06 AM CDT
To: "Green, Jamie" <Green.Jamie@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Aerial Spray Incident Involving Field Workers

Jamie, thank you for sending and including both Yvette and me.

On Aug 7, 2017, at 10:53 AM, Hopkins, Yvette <Hopkins.Yvette@epa.gov> wrote:

Jamie,

Thanks for the report. Please forward any official reports from IA to me or Bob Miller.

Yvette

From: Green, Jamie
Sent: Monday, August 07, 2017 10:24 AM
To: Wormell, Lance <Wormell.Lance@epa.gov>; Hopkins, Yvette <Hopkins.Yvette@epa.gov>
Cc: Ridnour, Lacey <Ridnour.Lacey@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Aerial Spray Incident Involving Field Workers

Lance:

This is a week later coming to you than I intended. Attached is a link to an article related to a number of seed corn detasslers being sprayed and/or drifted on while working in IA.

The event took place near Collins, Iowa on July 28 and impacted 25 field workers (according to the attached article). Other reports put the number at 15.

The products involved included: fungicide (Priaxor) and an insecticide (Lambda Select)

It appears workers were decontaminated via the assistance of first responders and released. Symptoms include nausea and headaches.

The state indicated that they had contacted the registrants so I would expect this to be reported under 6a2

<http://www.desmoinesregister.com/story/news/2017/07/28/workers-covered-chemicals-crop-duster-iowa-town/519790001/>

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